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Registered Dietitians are the food and nutrition experts who can translate the science of nutrition into practical solutions for healthy living. This profession requires a degree in nutrition, dietetics, public health or a related field from well-respected, accredited colleges and universities. There is also a pre-requisite for an internship and thereafter an examination.

The Registered Dietitians use their nutrition expertise to help individuals make unique and positive lifestyle changes. They work throughout the community in hospitals, schools, public health clinics, nursing homes, fitness centers, food management, food industry, universities, research and private practice. They are advocates for advancing the nutritional status of Americans and people around the world.

I, THEREFORE MOVE THAT THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS:

Proclaim **Monday, March 10, 2008** as “**Registered Dietitian Day**” throughout Los Angeles County and urge all citizens to recognize the contributions of Registered Dietitians and express appreciation for their commitment to promoting science-based nutrition in the hope of achieving optimum health for both today and tomorrow.

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